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PHASING OF PROJECT QKEROIL FOR 1951-1952

The current objectives of Project QKEROIL for the support and eventual liberation of a Free Rumania are:

1. To establish and implement successful psychological warfare propaganda aimed at that country.

2. To move drop-teams into the target area in order to establish two bases for the formation of guerrilla resistance.

a. To accomplish the first objective, the Chief Propaganda Officer is being dispatched at the earliest possible date to Europe to recruit the remainder of the Propaganda Broadcast Staff. It is expected that his staff will have been completed and his station manned by the end of February 1952 and operating by the end of March 1952.

b. To accomplish the second objective:

(1) Spotting of agents and selecting of cut-outs for agent recruiting is now being performed in Europe.

(2) The training team has been dispatched for the German Training Station in order to augment current facilities for the training of the two initial drop-teams of 10 men each.

c. In order to establish the two bases, the first agent drops into Rumania will take place in late May or early June. The active phase of the underground work will be implemented with drops of 50 additional agents, to be completed by the end of November 1952.

d. In order to accomplish the personnel drops, agents will be transported from Germany by air to a holding area in Athens anywhere from 12 to 50 hours prior to jump time, contingent on the weather. Safehouses will be required in Athens as temporary holding areas prior to drops.

e. As soon as the facilities in Istanbul have been expanded sufficiently to accommodate an agent-training area, that area will be used as an initial point of departure, relieving [] of the bulk of this responsibility. It is also contemplated to bring forward the Broadcast Staff from Athens to Istanbul when accommodations are available.

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3. Personnel overseas:

- a. Communications - []
and [] , all stationed in []
- b. [] , spotting and recruiting in Europe.
- c. Training Staff - []
[] and [] organizing training
facilities in Germany.

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